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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Andrew F. Silverman et al.

Filed: October 6, 2000 Group Art Unit: 3624

Serial No: 09/680,771 Examiner: Jagdish Patel

For: ORDER CENTRIC TRACKING SYSTEM AND PROTOCOL FOR  
COMMUNICATIONS WITH HANDHELD TRADING UNITS

**Response to Restriction Requirement**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.